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The collection of the department of agriculture of plants useful to man adds a new department of interest to the public museums of Washington, says the Collector. Among the most remarkable of the plants is the lace bark tree of Jamaica, the inner bark of which is composed of many layers of fibers, that interlace it in all directions. Caps, rufiles, and even complete suits of lace are made from it. It bears washing with common soap, and when bleached in the sun acquires a degree of whiteness equal to the best artificial lace, with which this surprising natural product compares quite favorably as to

Another curiosity is known in the tropics as the sandbark tree, and also as strongly impregnated with copper in the monkey's dinner bell. It has a solution, so much so that iron cages, round, hard-shelled fruit, about the size of an orange, which, when ripe and dry, bursts with a sharp noise like the report of a pistol. Its juice is poisonous. The South American trumpet tree might furnish a band with musical instruments, inasmuch as its hollow branches are utilized for horns and also for drums.

From Travoncore comes a quaint plant called the cerberus, which has a milky, poisonous juice. The unripe fruit is used by the natives to destroy dogs, as its action causes their teeth to loosen and fall out. The leaves of the so-called American aloe are made into razor strops and are also employed for cleaning and scouring pewter. Quite a wonderful tree is the calabash of the West Indies, which bears enormous fruits that resemble pumpkins, which grow to be nearly two feet in diameter. With the pulp removed they serve various purposes—for carrying water and even as kettles for cooking— -for carrying having the great advantages of strength

Another queer plant in the collection belongs to the pea family and is called the "moving plant," on account of the manner in which its leaves turn around We Treat Everybody of their own accord or go by jerks without being touched or in any way distarbed. Sometimes only one or two leaves on a plant will be affected; at other times they will all perform jumps by marking our goods in and gyrations simultaneously. It is obplain figures, and selling served that the movements are most enthem strictly at ONE-PRICE about eighty degrees. The "dumb cane" is so called because its fleshy, cane-like

Any man who knows enough to fall down, knows that under this plan we must mark them at the lowest possible price, or else we can't do business. eration that it is considered a crime to Clothing buyers are not cut off one of the branches. There is so foolish as to pay us—beToothbrushes are made from it by cutcause we are so handsome and honest—a greater profit than they would have to pay our competitors.

Toothbrushes are made from it by calling pieces of the stem to convenient lengths and fraying the ends. It also supplies, conveniently enough, an excellent tooth powder, which is prepared by pulversing the dried stems.

We own our goods as hear as anybody and do This wonderful vegetable assemblage includes the celebrated henna plant of cheap as anybody and do business for as small expense—But our MAIN hold the cast, the powdered leaves of which are commonly utilized as a cosmetic in Asia and northern Africa. The practice has descended from very remote is to give 100 cents in value ages, as is proved by the Egyptian mumies, the parts dyed being usually the finger and toe nails, the tips of the fingers, the palms of the hands, and the soles of the feet. The reddish tint produced is considered highly or namental direct is considered highly or namental any we refund your money. duced is considered in Brazil there by Oriental belles. In Brazil there duced is considered highly ornamental grows a tree which has hard urn-shaped fruits, known as monkey cups. They contain edible nuts, and the husks are very peculiar, being six inches in diameter and having regular lids which fit them closely and separate when the seeds are mature.

The snake tree of Guiana is so called because the seed is twisted in a manner to resemble a coiled serpent. For this reason the Indians employ the nuts as an antidote for snake poison. Another (Furnished by Applegate & Mallory, curiosity is the papyrus of Asia, which yielded the substance used as paper by The records in the register of deeds office the ancient Egyptians. For this purpose the wood of the reed stem was cut Chas Luckner w d aw 1, sec 10 28 2 a 8 2000
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2000 30 with a wooden instrument until smooth they were pressed and dried in the sun.

A queer plant is a native of Madaguscar. Formerly the seeds, which are very poisonous, were administered to persons accused of crime. If the in-No Mortgage: with control o dividual was innocent the tasse value of the womiting and his recovery was looked upon as satisfactory vindication, but when retained in the stomach it quicken rooms and six lots, lease also given on adjoining land making about two acres, tablished. The vegetable ivory plant A good place to live, finest land in town of South America is a well-known comgarden. Pienty of land for mercial article. Its seeds at first con-First class work. The Rock Island backens to run. Good title, No mort-tain a clear, insipid liquid, which age, 1810 Fannie Ave. changes by degrees until it becomes as hard as ivory, for which it is used as a substitute.

Hartford Investment Co. From eastern Asia comes a plant, the flowers of which contain a quantity of juice that rapidly turns black or deep purple. It is used by Chinese ladies for dycing their hair and eyebrows, and in Java for blacking shoes. Decidedly re-markable is the camphor tree, from which camphor is prepared by boiling See the fine Art display at Barnes & mainly produced in the island of Forweek only. Open till 9 o'clock, 409 East display.

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the chopped branches in water. It is mainly produced in the island of Formosa. Inasmuch as it grows well in the southern states there is repson to believe that the preparation of camphor will some day become a profitable

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waters reduces a mass of iron to pulp, a fact which makes it necessary for all material used in the mine and composed of iron or steel to be replaced at frequent intervals.

method was known of extracting the

ever, a discovery was made that is being into this house last week, only the agent utilized to good advantage.

Some tin cans found their way into the small stream. In a short time it was noticed that they had every appearance of being made of pure copper, so thickly were they coated with that They were regarded as curiosi-

ties by all who saw them, but presently one man saw farther than the "curiosi--he saw the use. He began to experiment and found that old cans and iron junk thown into the water were soon destroyed, leaving in their stead a rich deposit of copper He thought it would pay to extract the copper from the water by this process, and immediately purchased the exclu-

sive right to the water. Then he put in a series of reservoirs and tunks along the little gully where the water ran. These he filled with all the old metal to be had in town, including barrel hoops. At the end of six nths he found that the old junk was totally destroyed and in its place was a sedimentary deposit in the bottom of the reservoirs and tanks which was eighty per cent. copper.

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She-Come around and call on me any He-Will you always be at home?

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Political Item. "Johnny," said the school-teacher, "in the sentence "they held a convention,' parse the word convention."
"Is it a political convention, please

ma'am? "I don't know; that hasn't anything to do with it. "It would help me out considerable if

knew it was a political convention." "In what way "Because then I could sort of take it

for granted that it was in the nominative case."-Texas Siftings.

Probably a Broker.

Bright Boy-New family moved in next door to-day-gentleman and his wife and two children, boy and a girl.
Futher (a broker)—Indeed! What
business is the gentleman in, did you

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